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In re Application of

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Application No.: 10/583,770

PCT No.: PCT/JP05/01893

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For: COMPOUND AND ORGANIC

ELECTROLUMINESCENT DEVICE

USING SAME

DECISION ON

PETITION

UNDER 37 CFR 1.182

This decision is in response to applicants' "Petition Under 37 C.F.R. §1.182," filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office on 08 August 2006.

BACKGROUND

On 28 September 2005, applicant filed international application PCT/JP05/01893, claiming a priority date of 29 September 2004. A copy of the international application was transmitted to the Office by the International Bureau on 06 April 2006. The deadline for entry into the national stage in the United States is midnight 29 March 2007.

On 21 June 2006, applicant filed a submission for entry into the national stage in the United States which was accompanied by the basic national fee and a declaration of the inventors.

On 08 August 2006, applicant submitted a petition under 37 CFR 1.182.

DISCUSSION

The declaration is executed by Minako Nakasu. The international application listed Minako Kurokawa.

Applicant has supplied a statement signed by Minako Nakasu stating that Minako Nakasu is the inventor's name subsequent to her marriage. This is an adequate explanation.

CONCLUSION

Applicant's petition under 37 CFR 1.182 is **GRANTED**.

This application is being forwarded to the National Phase Processing Branch Division of PCT Operations for further processing. The application has a 35 U.S.C. 371(c)(1), (c)(2) and (c)(4) date of 21 June 2006.

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